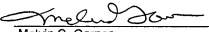


<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER</b>				Docket No. 09852/0203745-USO	
Application No. 10/560,171-Conf. #1361		Filing Date December 9, 2005		Examiner J. A. Hevey	
				Art Unit 1793	
Applicant(s): Yukio Aoki					
Invention: CEMENTED CARBIDE MATERIAL FOR SURFACE COATED GEAR CUTTING TOOL AND SURFACE COATED GEAR CUTTING TOOL					
<b>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS</b>					
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
<b>CLAIMS AS AMENDED</b>					
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid	Number Extra Claims Present	Rate	
<b>Total Claims</b>	3	- 20 =	0	x 52.00	0.00
<b>Independent Claims</b>	1	- 3 =	0	x 220.00	0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					
Other fee (please specify):					
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:</b>					0.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Large Entity <span style="margin-left: 200px;"><input type="checkbox"/> Small Entity</span>					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No additional fee is required for this amendment.					
<input type="checkbox"/> Please charge Deposit Account No. _____ in the amount of \$ _____.					
<input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the filing fee is enclosed.					
<input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.					
<input type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. _____ as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Credit any overpayment.					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17.					
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